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Sir:

In reply to the November 19, 2003 Office Action (Paper No. 20) concerning this application, Applicant respectfully submits the following pursuant to 37 CFR §1.111:

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Amendments

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Written Description:

On page 5 between lines 9 and 10, please insert two new paragraphs as follows:

Figures 13A and 13B show graphene platelets and the fiber axis thereof.

Figure 14 shows an embodiment of a process for improving an electron field emitter.